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The Honorable John McMahon Deputy Director Central Intelligence Central Intelligence Agency Washington, DC 20505

Dear Mr. McMahon:

Thank you very much for allowing me to interview you as part of my course requirements. Your candid comments and insight into the procedures and concepts that govern senior-level decision making and implementation provided me excellent material for my research paper. Having a limited perception of the broad scope of your responsibilities, I was especially gratified that you would take so much time just to help a student. Your gracious offer to introduce me to Dr. Gates added a special plus to the research because it enabled me to see how the next level of supervision perceives the policies implemented by senior management. I was very impressed with the great pride you and Dr. Gates have in your organization and I too am proud to be a small part of the professional intelligence organization. Thank you again.

Very Respectfully,

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